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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): JERRY SCRUGGS )  
JAY HOGE )  
Serial No.: 10/668,402 ) Ex: AKM  
Filed: 23 SEPTEMBER 2003 ) Art Unit: 2874  
For: BENCH ASSEMBLY AND )  
BIDIRECTIONAL OPTICAL )  
TRANSCIVER CONSTRUCTED )  
THEREWITH )

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Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

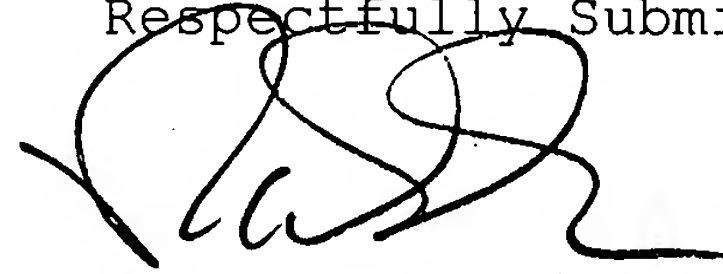
I hereby certify that the attached Amendment Transmittal Form; Response, Amendment and Request for Reconsideration and a postcard are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on 22 June 2005.

  
Signature

22 June 2005

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Date

Respectfully Submitted,



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MAIL STOP Amendment

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above identified application.

☒ Small entity status of this application has been established.

☐ Design Application, no additional fee required.

☒ Utility application, fee calculated on table below.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity
TOTAL	17	20	0	X 25 = \$0	or X 50 = \$
INDEP	03	03	0	X 100 = \$0	or X 200 = \$
MULTIPLE DEPEND CLAIM PRESENTED				X 180 = \$0	or X 360 = \$
				TOTAL	or TOTAL \$
				\$0	

☐ Please charge the Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A duplicate copy of this transmittal sheet is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

6/22/2005  
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RESPONSE, AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Box AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed 19 April 2005. A shortened statutory period for response was set for 3 months, up to and including 19 July 2005.

Claims 1-20 are pending in this application.

Claims 1-5, 9-12, and 17-19 are rejected.

Claims 6-8, 13-16, and 20 are objected to.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.